

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Shewaye Gelagay
AKIHIRO MATSUYA)	
	:	Art Unit: 2137
Application No.: 10/646,797)	
	:	Conf. No.: 1223
Filed: August 25, 2003)	
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For: IMAGE PROCESSING SYSTEM)	
AND AUTHENTICATION	:	
METHOD OF THE SAME)	May 31, 2007

Mail Stop: Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions to extend the time for response to the Office Action of February 1, 2007, to June 1, 2007. A Deposit Account payment in the amount of \$120.00 in payment of the extension fee is submitted herewith. Please charge any additional fee and credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 503939.

In response to the Office Action dated February 1, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The specification changes begin on page 2, amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning on page 4, and the Remarks begin on page 8.